

BANQUETED POPULAR COUPLE

About one hundred of the Canaan, West Stewartstown and other friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fletcher tendered them a complimentary reception and banquet at the Lakeside Inn on the evening of July 13th.

After the friends had gathered at the hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher were invited over from their cottage and an informal reception was held in the hotel parlor. At the close of an unusually fine banquet Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher were presented a chest of silver as a token of the esteem in which they were held by their many friends throughout this locality. Both responded to the presentation, and Mrs. Fletcher further added to the enjoyment of the occasion by a humorous reading. An orchestra was in attendance, and the committee are to be congratulated on their success in making this demonstration of which any man might be proud, and the words of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher showed their hearty appreciation.

A Safe Savings Bank

During its more than twenty-three years' existence, the Hyde Park Savings Bank never lost a dollar by a poor note, a poor stock or a poor bond.

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Barn Dance

The dancing population of Island Pond migrated to the Bemis District last Friday night where a social evening and dance was staged by Island Pond Grange in the mammoth barn of Albee & Hill. About 150 couples attended, coming from all directions. Refreshments were served in the rear of the hall and when the party broke up at an early hour in the morning all voted it one of the most enjoyable times of the season. The dimensions of the barn, which has just been completed, are 45x107 feet.

Sherbrooke Fair

Canada's Great Eastern Exhibition, which will be held in Sherbrooke from August 31 to September 7 promises this year, to surpass any which have previously been held.

Mr. H. E. Channell, the Secretary treasurer, and the office staff are very busy carrying out the arrangements for this annual event.

The price of admission this year has been reduced to twenty-five cents, and the fact that five tickets are being sold for a dollar will insure a much larger attendance than in the past two years. While the price of admission has been reduced it is not to be supposed that the merits of the exhibitors will in any way suffer, as a matter of fact the directors have spared no pains to make the exhibition better than ever before.

The live stock and other exhibits will be well fitted, and the other attractions are the best that could be procured. The chief among these will be the aeroplane flights, this feature has been secured at great expense, but the management believe that they have been justified in entering into this contract in view of the great interest that is manifested in aerial work at the present time.

The buildings at the grounds have all been renovated, and are in first class shape.

The premiums paid by Canada's Great Eastern Exhibition are high as that to be paid at Ottawa where the Dominion Exhibition will be held this year.

Arrangements have been made with the exhibition management at Ottawa whereby exhibitors can show at Sherbrooke, and then leave for Ottawa in time to take part in the exhibition there.

The advertising matter is now being sent out, and this will be followed up by newspapers and other channels until the time of the exhibition.

The racing this year will be good if the list of entries in the stake events, beside what will be entered in the other class events, is to be considered as a guarantee.

Norman Wright of Colchester was severely injured about the head and face by a fall from a road machine recently. The accident occurred in Sunderland hollow. The machine struck a stump and he lost his balance. He suffered an ugly scalp wound and a fracture of the skull.

FAST WORK IS DONE BY ELECTRIC CO.

Much praise is due the Electric Light Company for the prompt and efficient manner in which the lights were restored to the town after the disastrous fire to their transformer house a week ago. Few people realize the stupendous task they faced with all their transformers destroyed, but immediately securing more, and having experts on the ground to assist them, they had the lights again in working order with but one night's interruption to the service.

Red Sox Will Win Pennant

The Speed Boys will be the American League pennant winners. This is the consensus of opinion among the more prominent sporting men and baseball fans throughout New England.

The wonderful playing of the Red Sox during the past six weeks has not only given them a comfortable lead in the premier position of the American League, but has also placed them as favorites for the coveted pennant.

Herman Nickerson, one of the best-known sporting men in New England and a close follower of the game for over twenty years, was the first one to come out and definitely predict the Red Sox as the pennant winners. In an interview with a correspondent of this paper Mr. Nickerson remarked: "I can only repeat what I have already said—I have an all-wool and deep-dyed hunch that the Speed Boys will lift the pennant. I remarked some time ago that this year's champs would have to beat the Athletics. They have done it all ready, and I believe they can repeat it. The team is a fighting machine from first to last, and has today a fine bunch of pitchers, in whom the members of the squad have confidence. This means more than anything I can see. It points to the greatest season a Boston team has had since the days when Jimmy Collins was leading his men to the championship over the Pirates."

Herman Nickerson has for the past twenty years been associated with The Boston Journal, and his stories of the big league games and the clever cartoons of "Sid" Greene have been big factors in making the sporting pages of that paper among the best in New England.

Notice

Citizens interested in installing a town clock in our village will meet at the Town Clerks office on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Interested Citizens.

To Automobilists

When you are motoring through Vermont, make your plans to stop at the Hyde Park Inn. You will never regret it.

An increasing number of people report regularly of the satisfactory results from taking Foley Kidney Pills and commend their healing and curative qualities. Foley Kidney Pills are a carefully prepared medicine, guaranteed to contain no harmful or habit forming drugs. They can have only a beneficial effect when used for kidney and bladder troubles, for backache, rheumatism, weak back or lumbago. Never sold in bulk. Put up in two sizes, in sealed bottles. The genuine always in a yellow package. J. W. Thurston, Druggist.

The historic old coach belonging to the Greenfield, Mass., coaching club, which was a feature in the Bennington pageant last August, was destroyed by fire by vandals the night before the Fourth at Greenfield. The old coach also served in the Deerfield pageant. The vehicle was a historic relic of great interest. It ran for many years between Greenfield and Shelburne Falls and at one time was owned by parties in Charlemont. All those who were concerned in this piece of vandalism are under arrest and are liable to pay dearly for their folly.

POPULAR CONDUCTOR INJURED

Conductor Henry H. Danforth sustained a compound fracture of the right leg, a badly crushed left foot, multiple cuts and bruises about the head and shoulders, besides internal injuries, while setting a string of empty cars on what is known as "The Magog" at Sherbrooke, Que., Wednesday morning at about 10.30.

As soon as possible the injured man was moved to the Sherbrooke Hospital and placed under the care of Dr. Lynch, who, after a careful examination, stated that while the injuries were very serious the foot could be saved, and that Mr. Danforth in time, would be able to get about as well as ever, which is very pleasing news to his many friends here.

The exact cause of the accident is unknown and will probably remain so until Mr. Danforth is able to be interviewed.

The Hyde Park Inn

Everybody who has ever visited the little village of Hyde Park, Vermont, speaks of its beauty of situation, its side-walks and well-kept streets. It is a little gem of loveliness overlooking the Lamoille River.

The Hyde Park Inn has been repainted, repapered, new plumbing put in and, under its new management, it offers to those seeking a summer resort of reasonable price, assurance of the fullest satisfaction. Write for terms.

CHURCH NOTES

M. E. Church

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Sunday School at 10.10. Next Sunday morning the pastor will preach a sermon on the subject,—"The Safety of Christian Fellowship and Co-operation." Evening subject,—"Self-destruction."

A special request is hereby given to all members of the Men's Bible Class to attend the Class this coming Sunday for roll-call and business.

Congregational Church

The Rev. J. B. Saer B. D., will deliver a lecture in the Congregational Church Sunday evening on "Jerusalem, its history and its holy places." The public are cordially invited.

To Commerical Travelers

Do you know that Landlord Savory of the Brandon Inn has purchased and rejuvenated the Hyde Park Inn? New paint, new paper, new plumbing and a progressive landlord. Terms reasonable, cuisine good, with a hearty welcome by one who, from long experience, knows what the commercial man wants.

Defeats Stratford

The local team defeated Stratford Hollow in a long and uninteresting contest last Saturday afternoon. The visiting pitcher was hammered to all corners of the lot. Danforth made a nice catch in center.

The score was: Island Pond 28, Stratford 10.

Batting Averages

That Island Pond has a slugging team is herewith proved as figures won't lie, this record is compiled without the Coaticook game when some of the heaviest batting was done.

	At bat	Hits	Per cent
Stevens	27	14	.518
Danforth	24	8	.333
Cilley	15	5	.333
Johnston	12	4	.333
Seymour	12	4	.333
Bailey	22	7	.318
White	19	5	.315
St. Pierre	13	4	.309
Morse	25	5	.200
Russell	10	2	.200



A large number of Sisters of Presentation passed through here Wednesday on their way to their Retreat at St. Hyacinth, Que. Among them were Sister Timothy and Sister St. Peter of Westbrook and Sister Xavier of Berlin. These Sisters will be pleasantly remembered as teachers at the Presentation Convent here. They were busily engaged in renewing old acquaintances during the short stay of the train here.

Merrill Farmer of Windsor is visiting relatives in town.

I. T. Jacob has returned to Berlin after having spent a few days here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Stern.

Workmen have been busy this week tearing down the old fence around the Old Protestant Cemetery and replacing it with a new iron one.

Miss Annie Smith of Lewiston, Me., is visiting her brother, W. M. Smith.

W. A. Moore, who has been here with his family, returned to Boston Tuesday. Mr. Moore is a patrolman in the Brighton District of the Boston Police Department. His wife and children will remain here for the present.

Mrs. H. W. Blake and son, Nelson, of Gardner, Mass., passed through here Tuesday enroute for North Mills where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Nelson. Mr. Blake will follow shortly.

The new concrete sidewalk on South St. is nearing completion and pedestrians will soon be able to walk along this street without fear of breaking an ankle.

J. A. Dion and wife entertained a party of friends to a luncheon on the Island last Tuesday.

Mrs. O. P. Wilcox and Mrs. Ernest Wilcox and children have returned from Lake Seymour where they have been camping.

NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE STATE

Berlin street residents of Montpelier are apprehensive because of recent minor depredations on the part of sneak thieves who are operating at back doors and up on refrigerators either as a joke or for some reason best known to themselves. Pails of doughnuts and other food have disappeared from several houses lately and there has been some indication of a Jack the Peeper. A woman coming from the second story of her home the other evening met a man about to come into the lower hall. He drew back as she approached and she slammed the door in his face.

Joseph Foss of North Hyde Park, the owner of a new auto and not perfectly familiar with operating the machine, drove to Morrisville and when turning to Portland street made a curve which he continued until the auto came in contact with an electric light pole. The machine was injured to quite an extent, the crank being driven into the pole from four to six inches, and the pole, which is a large one, was broken off about 12 feet from the ground. Several glass insulators were broken and wires were misplaced. The pole was repaired with the use of iron straps. Mr. Foss was quite badly shaken up.

Arrangements have been made by which the town of Morrisville can have a lot for the new library on the corner of Main and High streets free of expense. The lot has a frontage of 107 feet on Main street and 106 feet on High street. In addition to this offer of a lot, the new proposition includes the erection of an annex to the original building at the cost of \$1,000 and the further gift of another \$1,000 to furnish the annex with reference and other valuable books.

State Forester A. F. Howes has deluged Charles and Palmer Powers of Proctor to build wireless telegraphy stations in several places in Vermont for use in transmitting messages to rangers when forest fires are discovered. The first station is to be on Mount Pico, 10 miles east of Rutland at an altitude of 3,900 feet, and there will be other stations on the higher mountains to the north. It is expected that the system will save hundreds of acres of timberland from destruction by fire annually.

Carson, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Toner of Rutland, while chasing a bird, ran in front of a mowing machine in operation and received a broken leg, besides severe cuts.

An attempt is to be made to compete the Connecticut River Lumber company to keep a passage open through its log drives for the accommodation of excursion boats on the river between Brattleboro and Putney and for the operation of the 100 or more power boats owned in the vicinity. For several weeks it has been impossible for the excursion boats to make a way through the logs.

Base Ball

Waterville vs Island Pond

Sat., July 20

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Game at 3



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